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Title: POLYACRYLAMIDE HYDROGEL FOR ARTHRITIS	)	

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, and in compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicant submits attached Form PTO-1449 for consideration and requests the references cited therein (copies enclosed) be made of record by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-captioned application.

Translations of the foreign references (RU 2,127,129; RU 2,148,957 and SU 1,831,709) were inadvertently not submitted in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 22, 2005, even though they were listed on the Form PTO-1449. Applicant encloses a copy of the translations herewith and apologizes for any inconvenience caused. In addition, the full text of GB 2,114,578, the Abstract of which was previously submitted on June 22, 2005, is included. The text of GB 2,114,578 is a printout from the European Patent Office server of a translation of

WO 81/01290, on which GB 2,114,578 is based. A copy of WO 81/01290 is also submitted herein.

Applicant respectfully points out that the submission of the listed references in this Information Disclosure Statement is not an admission that they are prior art or that they are material to patentability of any claims of the application. Also, the submission of this Information Disclosure Statement is not an indication that a search has been made by Applicants.

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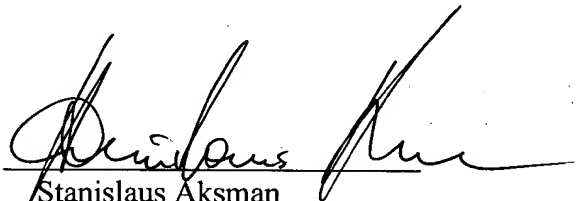
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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION Yes No	
	1.	GB 2,114,578 A	5/14/1981	Great Britain				
	2.	RU 2,127,129	3/10/1999	Russia			X	
	3.	RU 2,148,957	5/20/2000	Russia			X	
	4.	SU 1,831,709	7/30/1993	Soviet Union			X	
	5.	WO 81/01290	5/14/1981	PCT			X and Abstract	

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